

PATENT

Case: 027498

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF
Anurag Rathore

GROUP ART UNIT: 1654

SERIAL NO: 10/646,798

EXAMINER: Satyanarayan
Gudibande

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TITLE: METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION OF GROWTH HORMONE AND
ANTAGONIST THEREOF HAVING LOWER LEVELS OF ISOFORM IMPURITIES
THEREOF

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner of Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir/Madam:

This is in response to the Office Action, having a Shortened Statutory Period for Reply set to expire on May 7, 2007. Submitted herewith are a Notice of Appeal, change in correspondence address, an annotated copy of the sequence listing, and an annotated copy of p. 313 of Andersson, et al., Int. J. Peptide Protein Res., 1996, 47, 311-321.

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